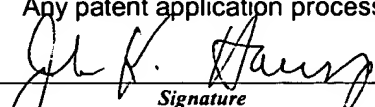
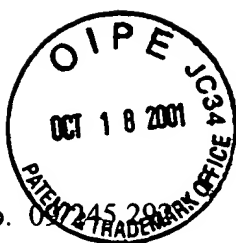


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<p style="text-align: center;"><u>TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u></p> <p>Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27 by a verified statement previously submitted.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A verified statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 FR 1.27 is enclosed.</p> <p>The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.</p> <table border="1"><thead><tr><th colspan="6">CLAIMS AS AMENDED</th></tr><tr><th></th><th>CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT</th><th>HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR</th><th>NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT</th><th>RATE</th><th>ADDITIONAL FEE</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>TOTAL CLAIMS</td><td>107 -</td><td>104 =</td><td>3 x</td><td>\$9.00</td><td>\$27.00</td></tr><tr><td>INDEP. CLAIMS</td><td>7 -</td><td>4 =</td><td>3 x</td><td>\$42.00</td><td>\$126.00</td></tr><tr><td colspan="5">Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/></td><td>\$0.00</td></tr><tr><td colspan="5">TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT</td><td>\$153.00</td></tr></tbody></table> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required for amendment.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Please charge Deposit Account No. 04-1425 in the amount of \$153.00 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of to cover the filing fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.</p> <p> Signature</p> <p>Dated: October 18, 2001</p> <p>John K. Harrop Registration No. 41,817 Dorsey & Whitney LLP 1001 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Suite 300 South Washington, D.C. 20004 Tel: 202-824-8800/703-288-5247 Fax: 202-824-8990</p> <table border="1"><tr><td>I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.</td></tr><tr><td>Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</td></tr><tr><td>Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</td></tr></table> <p>cc:</p>						CLAIMS AS AMENDED							CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	TOTAL CLAIMS	107 -	104 =	3 x	\$9.00	\$27.00	INDEP. CLAIMS	7 -	4 =	3 x	\$42.00	\$126.00	Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00	TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$153.00	I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.	Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence	Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the May 18, 2001 Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows. A Petition for Extension of Time for two months is included.

In the claims:

Please amend claims 1, 27, 46, 47, and 86 as follows:

1. (Amended) A switching center for a communications system that provides communications services to customers having wireless and other communications devices, comprising:
- a single platform having a back plane for communication, the single platform, comprising:
 - a first interface, the second interface receiving and sending digital messaging having a first protocol;
 - a second interface, the second interface receiving and sending digital messaging having a second protocol; and

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